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The owner of one hundred percent (100%) interest in the above-identified application is Accessible Technologies, Inc. ("Assignee"), 14801 W. 114th Terrace, Lenexa, Kansas 66215, and the undersigned has been authorized by Assignee to sign on Assignee's behalf.

An assignment of the above-identified application from the inventors, DANIEL W. JONES, MICHAEL A. CARLSON, and KENNETH C. JONES was made to Assignee, and a copy of such assignment is attached hereto. Although the assignment was filed with the original application, the PTO has not yet recorded it.

Assignee hereby disclaims, except as provided below, the terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application, which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term of any patent to issue from U.S. Application No.10/710,797 ("the '797 application").

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Assignee hereby agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified application shall be enforceable only for and during such period that it and any patent to issue from the '797 application are commonly owned.

This agreement is to run with any patent granted on the above-identified application and is to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

Assignee does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on the above-identified application prior to the expiration date of the full statutory term of any patent to issue from the '797 application in the event that it later: expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, is statutorily disclaimed in whole or terminally disclaimed under 37 CFR Section 1.321, has all claims canceled by a reexamination certificate, is reissued, or is otherwise terminated prior to expiration of its statutory term.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$65,00 to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 19-0522 for the requisite fee.

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HOVEY, WILLIAMS ET AL 11/17/05 THU 15:18 FAX 816 474 9057 **2**048 Patent Assignment Page 1 of 1 PATENT ASSIGNMENT Electronic Version v07 Stylesheet Version v02 SUBMISSION TYPE: **NEW ASSIGNMENT** ASSIGNMENT OF ASSIGNOR'S INTEREST NATURE OF CONVEYANCE: **CONVEYING PARTY DATA Execution Date** Name 2004-08-06 Daniel W. Jones Michael A. Carlson 2004-08-06 Kenneth C. Jones 2004-08-06 **RECEIVING PARTY DATA Postal** Street Address Internal Address City State/Country Name Code 14801 W. 114th Accessible 66215 KANSAS Lenexa Теггасе Technologies, Inc. **CORRESPONDENCE DATA FAX NUMBER: 816-474-9057** Correspondence will be sent via US Mail when the fax attempt is unsuccessful. When the customer number has been provided, the Office of Public Records will obtain the correspondence data from the official record on file at the USPTO. **CUSTOMER NUMBER: 023589** NAME OF PERSON SIGNING: Andrew G. Colombo DATE SIGNED: 2004-08-12 Total Attachments: 4 source=Assn1.tif source=Assn2.tif source=Assn3.tif source=Assn4.tif

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## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, DANIEL W. JONES, of 14801 W. 114th Terrace, Lenexa, Kansas 66215; and MICHAEL A. CARLSON, of 7701 West 156th Place, Stanley, Kansas 66223; and KENNETH C. JONES, of 5157 Ward Parkway, Kansas City, Missouri 64112 have jointly invented certain new and useful improvements in a

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for which they are about to make application for Letters Patent of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Accessible Technologies, Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Kansas and having its principal place of business at 14801 W. 114th Terrace, Lenexa, Kansas 66215, is desirous of acquiring an interest in, to and under said invention, said application and any and all Letters Patent which may be granted for or upon said invention in the United States of America and all countries foreign thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, to all whom it may concern be it known that for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, WE, DANIEL W. JONES and MICHAEL A. CARLSON and KENNETH C. JONES, as co-inventors, have sold, assigned and transferred, and by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto said Accessible Technologies, Inc. their full and exclusive right, title and interest, throughout the world, in, to and under the following:

- (a) said invention as fully set forth and described in the application executed by each of us as co-inventors herewith preparatory to obtaining Letters Patent of the United States therefor and identified under attorney Dkt. No. 34926-CIP1;
  - (b) said application;

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- (c) any and all retrangs, divisions, and continuations of said application;
- (d) any and all Letters Patent of the United States of America which may issue from said application, refilings, divisions and continuations;
  - (e) any and all reissues of said Letters Patent of the United States of America;
- (f) any and all applications for Letters Patent on said invention which have heretofore been filed or may hereafter be filed in any and all countries foreign to the United States of America, together with all rights to file and to claim priority in connection with said foreign-filed applications;
  - (g) any and all refilings, divisions and continuations of said foreign-filed applications;
- (h) any and all Letters Patent of countries foreign to the United States of America which may issue from the said foreign-filed applications, refilings, divisions and continuations; and
- (i) any and all extensions of, and additions to,
  said Letters Patent of countries foreign to the United States of America.

ALL of the above shall be held and enjoyed by said Accessible Technologies, Inc. for its own use and behoof, and for its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to the full end of the term for which said Letters Patent may be granted, and we do hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent in accordance with this Assignment.

| Date: \$\int \beta \setminus 6 \setminus 6 \setminus 6 \setminus 4  | DANIEL W. JONES   |                             |
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| STATE OF KANSAS ) ss.  County of JOHNSON )  On this 6th day of August  JONES, to me known to be the person de who duly acknowledged to me that he exce  | scribed in and who executed th  | e foregoing instrument, and |
| My Commission expires:  | Notary Public   |                             |
| Notary Public State of Kansas My Appt. Exp. 3-1-06  | Michael A. Carlson  |                             |
| STATE OF KANSAS )  (Sounty of JOHNSON )  On this 6 day of Avgust  CARLSON, to me known to be the person who duly acknowledged to me that he executed to the second | , 200 / before me person<br>described in and who executed<br>ecuted the same for the uses and | purposes merem ser torm.    |
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| Date: | 64 | KENNETH C. JONES |         |
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STATE OF KANSAS )

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On this day of August, 200 before me personally appeared KENNETH C.

JONES, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and who duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

My Commission expires:

3-1-06

Stacey Tonovitz
Notary Public
State of Kansas
My Appt. Exp. 3-1-06

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